

December 22, 1917.

Alaska Packers Association,
Wells Fargo Building,
San Francisco, Calif.

Gentlemen:

The receipt is acknowledged of reports of fishery operations in Alaska in 1917 in connection with plants at the following places:

Loring	Karluk
Fort Wrangell	Egegak
Alitak	Kvichak
Chignik	Naknek
Kussilof	Nushagak.

It is noted that in each report you have included in the value given for "plant, including land, buildings, and shore equipment" certain values called for in detail under the schedules "Vessels and Boats" and "Fishing Apparatus." In respect to each plant please advise the Bureau in regard to the "Value of plant, including land, buildings, and shore equipment" exclusive of all values called for under the schedules "Vessels and Boats" and "Fishing Apparatus." Please furnish also separately and in detail the values which in your reports you state have been "included in plant value."

Very truly yours,

H. M. Smith.

Commissioner.